RE Home Learning - Guidance from Canterbury and Rochester Diocese

Term 3 2021

Week 6: What is the good news that Jesus brings?

Meet Jamila and Zak, they are Christians and are with their friends at Sunday School. They have been learning all about the Good News that Jesus brings.

Remember the things that we have been learning about over the last 5 weeks: Jesus spent time with Matthew the tax collector and asked him to be one of his friends and become a disciple. Jesus did not listen to those who were cross with him for being Matthew's friend. He knew it was the right thing to do, as God wants his followers to love everyone.

Christians believe that God forgives all those who say they are sorry. Knowing that when they say sorry, God will forgive them, even if they have something really bad or wrong reminds Christians of the love God has for them - this is good news!

Jesus is good news for Christians, because he promises to give his followers peace, so when they feel worried or anxious, God helps to keep them calm and bring them help or guidance.

The Bible tells Christians that Jesus wants his followers to forgive other people, not just 7 times, but 70×7 times. Forgiving people can be hard sometimes, but Christians know this is what God wants his people to do and he promises to help them to forgive.

Christians know that when they say sorry to God, they will be forgiven.

Christians know that Jesus wants his followers to be friends to those who do not have friends and to love and help anyone who might need their help.

Write a prayer as Jamila and Zak about the Good News Jesus brings.



friendship	forgiveness	peace	love
others	Jesus	Amen	sorry
Thank you	Dear God	help	share

Think back over all you have learned in this unit to help you answer this question: \bigcirc \Box The Good News that Jesus brings is ...

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